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Applicant:

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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

[x] No additional fee is required.

[] The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments		Rate Extra	Additional Fee
Total Claims*	14	_	22	=	x \$9.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	_	4 =		x \$42.00	\$ 0.00
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Respectfully submitted.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 21, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.